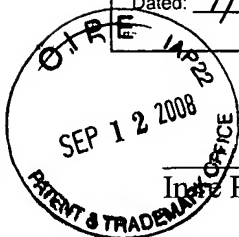


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Dear Sir:

This responds to the non-Final Office Action dated April 9, 2008. A two-month extension of time is respectfully requested. Hence, this Response is timely filed. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.